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Applicants: Kyle Jeffrey Charlet et al.

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DEFINING A METADATA SCHEMA TO
FACILITATE PASSING DATA BETWEEN AN
EXTENSIBLE MARKUP LANGUAGE DOCUMENT
AND A HIERARCHICAL DATABASE**

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Examiner: Shahid Al Alam

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 18, 2007, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the present application in view of the following amendments and remarks.